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SERIAL COMMUNICATION DEVICE AND METHOD
OF CARRYING OUT SERIAL COMMUNICATION

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached which follows the signature page of this paper.

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